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## Yearbook Pictures Increase In Price After December 22

### Personnel of Newly Appointed Staff Announced by Board of Editors

Tuesday, December 22, is the deadline for those who wish to have their 1932 Cherry Tree pictures made before the new rate goes into effect, according to Wendell Bain, business manager.

Due to the unique edition now being planned which will be in commemoration of the George Washington Bicentennial and will take on the appearance of a book printed during the time of the namesake of the university, Pauline Schaub, editor, points out that every student of the senior class and all members of the various school organizations should make every effort to have his or her picture taken for this edition.

The rate of two dollars and fifty cents which goes into effect on the above date is established as an incentive to the student body to have pictures taken at an early date so that the Board of Editors may make the necessary plans in connection with the individual and group pictures.

The present rate for each picture is two dollars, entitling the student to the choice of one formal and one informal picture from four different proofs. Formal dress is required of all organization members while senior pictures will be informal.

Appointees to the 1932 Cherry Tree Staff are announced by the Board of Editors as follows:

Copy—Elizabeth Rees, editor; Lawrence Ball, Virginia Hawkins, Mirtum Snider, John Everett, Dorothy Neils, Marion Rittenour, Jean Kirkwood, William B. Potter.

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## Non-Sorority Girls Form Co-operative Social Organization

Mrs. Barrows and Miss Atwell Believe  
the Colonial Campus Club  
Will Foster Friendship

One of the newest of the clubs to be recognized by the Committee on Student Life is the Colonial Campus Club, formerly the Co-Ed Campus Club. The aim of this club is to provide a social organization for the girls not in social sororities, and to foster a spirit of co-operation between the girls who would not otherwise have an opportunity to compete in intramural sports or to enter into any activity requiring the backing of an organization. The officers include: Anna Margaret Bodony, president; Helen Swick, vice president; Mary Louise Braselton, secretary; and Katherine Wassmann, treasurer.

Mrs. Vinnie G. Barrows believes that this organization is a good one, and that it will be of great service in promoting friendship and understanding between the unaffiliated girls on the campus. Miss Ruth Atwell thinks that the club will fill a need long felt at George Washington University, and that many girls who wish to compete in sports will be greatly benefited by this opportunity.

## William Reid Speaks Before History Club

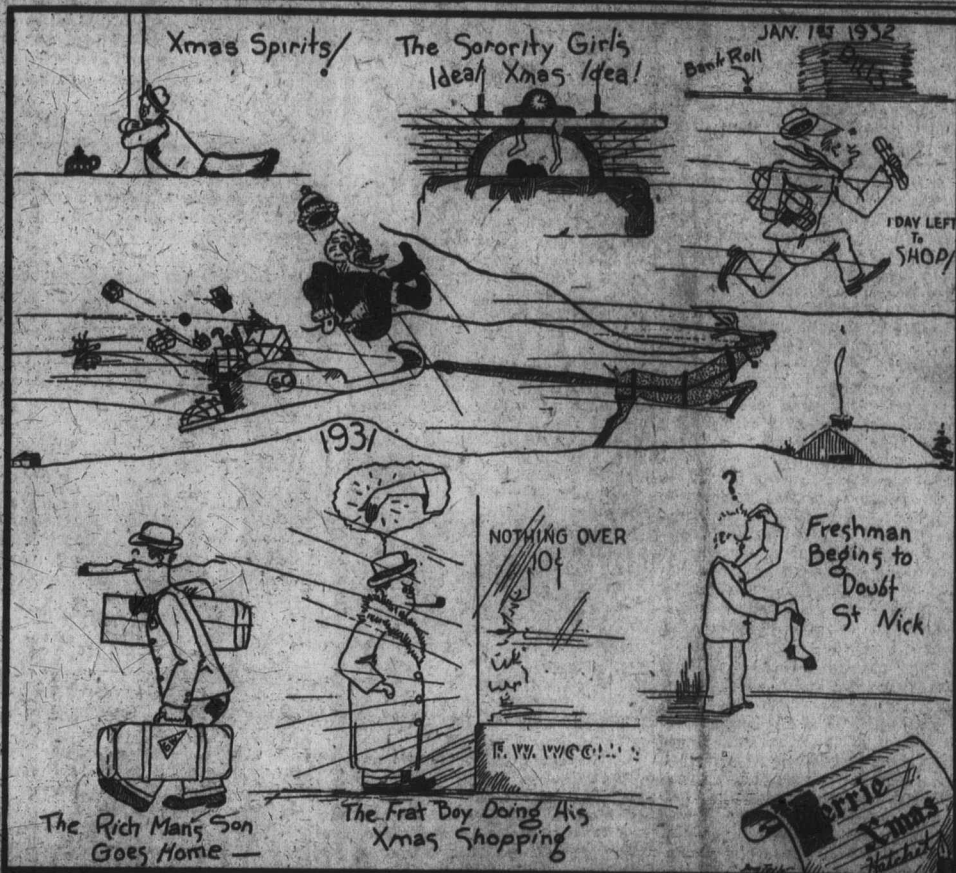
Pan-American Trade Advisor Discusses  
Latin-American History

William Reid, foreign trade advisor to the Pan-American Union, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Swisher History Club last Tuesday evening.

His talk on "Historical Spots in Latin America" was divided in two parts. The first part dealt with the ruins of present Latin America before European settlement. Interesting details of Inca ruins in Peru and other ruins in Yucatan and Panama were discussed by the speaker.

The second part of Mr. Reid's talk was concerned with the effects of the European invasion and settlement, and the relation between the Spanish explorers and the native Indians. The capitals of the various South American countries were also described.

## To Whom It May Concern



## Watts and Mitchell Head Grand March

### Pledges to Have Two Bands and Novel Favors for Women at Party

Murray Watts and Katherine Mitchell, followed by the members of the social committee and their dates, will lead the grand march at the annual Interfraternity Plunge dance to be held in the Kennedy-Warren tomorrow night from ten until two. The grand march will come just before intermission, and will be concluded by the orchestra playing the school song.

One of the outstanding features of this year's dance is the music. The social committee has arranged for both Dagnoff orchestras to furnish a battle of music. Another feature of the dance will be the presentation of favors.

Gilbert Linville has charge of the invitations; Charles Yontz, favors, and a committee comprised of Beulow, Yontz, Watts, and Linville, the orchestra. Murray Watts is the social chairman of the Interfraternity Plunge Council.

The chaperons will be Provost and Mrs. William A. Wilbur, and Professor and Mrs. Lowell J. Ragatz. President and Mrs. Cloyd H. Marvin will be guests of honor.

All members of the Interfraternity Council, house presidents and guest masters of the fraternities will be honorary guests at the dance.

## Liberal Clubs Plan To Discuss World Crisis At Meeting

Conference to Be Held in New York;  
Topic for Discussion Is "Guiding  
the Revolution"

The Liberal Club anticipates an excellent representation at the forthcoming conference of Liberal Clubs to take place at Union Theological Seminary in New York City from December 28 to 30, inclusive. The topic of the conference this year is a discussion of objectives and methods in "Guiding the Revolution." Over 110 Liberal Clubs are expected to participate.

"The breakdown of the capitalist system, occasioned by the gravest crisis in the history of the United States, has made it imperative that students join in a movement to create a world free from poverty, strife and class distinctions," declares Riva Stocker, Vassar College senior, in issuing the conference call for delegates from all colleges. Miss Stocker is chairman of the Intercollegiate Student Council, of the League for Industrial Democracy, the National Federation of Liberal Clubs under whose auspices the conference will be held.

## Upperclassmen Are Offered Opportunity by Macy Store

Juniors and seniors interested in any phase of retailing are invited to visit the R. H. Macy Store in New York during their Christmas vacations. From December 16 to January 6, students wishing to investigate the opportunities in retailing and particularly those offered by the famous Macy Training Squad, will have an opportunity to meet executives, ask questions, and be conducted on a tour of the store. For further details inquire at the Employment Bureau—Lambie House.

## Co-Eds Educational Club Holds Election

Members Adopt Constitution at Recent  
Business Meeting

Election of officers and the adoption of a constitution were the two important items of the business meeting of the Women's Education Club in the Lambie House, December 11. Previous to the business meeting Dr. Julia Hahn, supervising principal of the third division of the District Public Schools, addressed the club.

The results of the elections are: Florence P. Marks, president; Mildred Green, vice president; Hazel G. Cragun, secretary, and Bertha Meridian, treasurer. Florence Marks assumed the chair and presided at the remainder of the meeting. She appointed the following standing committees: Social—Anna Bonner, chairman and Margaret Richards, vice chairman. Program—Mildred Green, chairman, and Marjorie Jones, vice chairman. Membership—Irene Ford, chairman, and Catherine White, vice chairman; and Publicity—Elizabeth Hutchinson, chairman, and Lillian Wines, vice chairman.

Under the constitution, whose ratification completed the formal organization of the club, to be eligible for active membership one must have a scholarship of C, be registered for 6 hours of education and have a professional interest in the field of education; and for associate membership have an interest in education from a professional standpoint. Provision is also made for honorary membership.

Following Dr. Hahn's address, an interesting discussion arose on the problems of an activities program. It is the aim of the club to encourage such discussion following speeches to be given by prominent educators at future meetings of the club. Professor and Mrs. J. Orin Powers, Professor Mitchell-Dreese and Ruth Coyner attended the meeting.

## Hatchet Staff Notice

The next Hatchet will be January 5. Staff members are requested to report Sunday, January 3, at 7 p. m.

## Ten Men Pledged By Phi Eta Sigma

### Initiation of Recent Pledges to Be Held January 9 at Home of President

Pledging of ten men by Phi Eta Sigma, honorary freshman scholastic fraternity, was announced following a smoker held on December 7, at the Phi Sigma Kappa house. The freshmen who have been signally honored for outstanding work are: Paul Boesch, Joseph Danzansky, Walter Drayer, John Drury, James Haley, Robert Harney, William Hopkins, John Parsons, Samuel Snyder and Arthur Storey.

The initiation of the recent pledges will be carried out at an informal ceremony to be held on January 9, at the home of Colman Stein, president of the fraternity, and freshman in the law school. A banquet will be held following the initiation ceremony.

Phi Eta Sigma is organized to give recognition to men students who attain high marks during their first year in the University, the required standard for membership being that they shall receive one-half "A's" and one-half "B's", or better.

The members of the G. W. chapter of Phi Eta Sigma have been active during the past few weeks in an effort to organize a chapter at the University of Maryland, and it is expected that charter members of a unit at that school will be announced when the organization work is completed.

## Phi Delta Gamma Hostess At Party

National Graduate Sorority to Give  
Party for Professional Women

A small group of professional women doing graduate work at George Washington University, will be entertained at a party to be given Saturday, December 19, at 7 p. m., at Lambie House, 714 21st street N. W., by Beta Chapter of Phi Delta Gamma, national graduate professional sorority.

This is one of the series of social events planned by Beta Chapter for the women of the University who are already participating in various professions.

Phi Delta Gamma as a study group, is interested in the work and achievements of women and has planned the party for the purpose of getting better acquainted with these students.

The officers for the year are: Margaret A. Klein, president; Carolyn Whitlock, vice president; Bernadine Haycock, recording secretary; Janet Frost, corresponding secretary; Dorothy Kemball, chaplain; Hazel Borden, treasurer; Mary Pearce, registrar, and Florence E. Fritz, historian.

## Crimson Tide Plays Colonials To Scoreless Tie, Wins Over Cardinals, Ties Hilltop's Eleven

Aerial Attack Paves Way for Buff and Blue Gains; Long  
Makes Lone Score Against Cardinals; Georgetown  
Displays Fast Running Attack

## Troubadours Give Fine Performance In Annual Comedy

### Joe Danzansky Stars as Comedian; Specialty Numbers and Lyrics Good

By LEO DAVID

George Washington University's student aviators (not those gliders who term themselves "Buzards," but Dan Beattie's crew of motorized fliers) delivered themselves of a highly enjoyable musical effort in the annual Troubadour show, "Happy Landings," in McKinley Auditorium last week.

Three appreciative audiences went into uproars of laughter over the goofy antics of Joe Danzansky, thrilled to the stirring rhythms of "We'll Come Smiling Through" and "Happy Landings," the theme songs, and followed with delight and appreciation the style show wherein a dozen beautiful (and how) models paraded in the fashions of 1931 while Bert Bagranoff displayed his fine tenor voice in the catchy lyric, "Clothes Make the Girl Make the Man."

It is as good a production as any the Troubadours have done since they began the present series of musical shows in 1925. That opinion (in case there be someone who knows too much about the number of this reviewer's undergraduate days) is based on unbiased reports of the three shows prior to 1928 and personal inspection of those since then. It has every ingredient for sure-fire success, except plot, but lack of a plot doesn't make much difference in a show of this type where the actors are the factors that count.

And they certainly do that! It is chiefly to Joe Danzansky, however, that the honors are due for a sustained impersonation of the silliest, yet the most ingratiating college student we have ever seen. Last year Joe gave warning of his abilities as a comedian in "Good Gracious Godfrey," but this time surpasses all believable capabilities and in the role of Avery Dupois blossoms as a funny man of first rank who steals most of the show and makes everybody

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## Dance Date Chosen For Engineers' Ball

Bids Available to Students in Engineering  
for Affair January 8

Bids to the Engineer's Ball, Friday, January 8, were released at the Ball Committee meeting last Sunday, and are now available to students of the Engineering School at a cost of \$2.50. Red Anderson and his orchestra are to be featured at the ball.

The bids will probably be obtainable from the Engineering School office, as well as from the members of the Ball Committee. Headed by Ray A. Heimburger, the committee members are: Val Darling, Gus Fried, Ron Hubbard, Larry Ball, Ray Ask, A. R. Purchase, Warren Weiss, Harry Porch, and Herman Miller. Members of the Engineering School are requested to get in touch with these men sometime this week, or with Miss Elschlager in the Engineering Office.

Arrangements are being made with a local radio station in order that the short addresses of greeting, which are to be delivered by President Marvin, Dean Lapham, Professor Ames and Professor Johnson, may be broadcast. Following the intermission, dance music by Red Anderson will be broadcast.

"The Pick and Shovel," humorous publication which is to make its debut at the ball, is now in process of composition. Copy of all sorts and styles is wanted, and will be accepted by any officer in the five sponsoring societies.

The Engineers' Ball is being sponsored by the American Society of Civil Engineers, Phi Theta Xi, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Sigma Tau, and the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. The bids for the ball are available to every member of the Engineering School.

Chaperons for the ball are Dean Dean J. R. Lapham, Professor N. B. Ames and Professor A. F. Johnson, all of the Engineering School.

The touted Alabama Rose Bowl eleven battled the George Washington Colonials to a scoreless tie, subdued the Catholic University Cardinals by a 7-0 score, and were held in check by the Hoyas of Georgetown in a 0-0 score before a crowd of over 10,000 loyal fans in the Griffith Stadium last Saturday afternoon.

Displaying much the same form that took them to the championship last year, they were still unable to readily hold in check the Colonials when they started their march down the field. The Colonials showed more power, aggressiveness and real football than any of the other local teams, and these facts, as well as the statistics, indicate that the Colonials have an edge on their contemporaries in this city. Due to the powerful Crimson Tide line, the local elevens resorted to aerial plays to gain ground, relying on speed and strategy to make headway against the Alabama team.

The Colonial forward wall deserves praise for the way it held the Alabama line which averaged 20 pounds per man more than the George Washington line. Slaird, Chambers, Mulvey, Stewart, and Blackstone were those who stood above the rest in offensive and defensive play. Carlin, Carter, and Parrish get their ticket for places among the famous for their play during the game. Carlin and Carter kept the Tide in constant suspense with passes, both short and long. Parrish, as always, played a consistent game, receiving several passes for marked advances into Alabama territory.

But and Blue Threaten  
The most serious threat of the first game for the Tide came when the

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## Honor Society Will Hear Eminent Men At Holiday Banquet

George Washington Chapter of Pi  
Gamma Mu Will Formally  
Initiate New Members

Ahmed Muhtar Bey, Turkish Ambassador to the United States, and Dr. Ernest Minor Patterson, president of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, will address the national dinner of Pi Gamma Mu, social science honor society, at the Mayflower Hotel, Monday evening, December 28.

His Excellency, Ahmed Muhtar Bey, will speak on "Social and Economic changes in the New Turkey." Dr. Patterson has chosen the subject "Progress in the Social Sciences."

In connection with the dinner, recently elected members of the George Washington chapter of Pi Gamma Mu will be formally initiated. These include: Mary Ambrosi, Charles Barwick, Veronica Delvin, Rex Johnson, Cecil Harrington, Selma Kause, Caldwell Kendrick, Lillian Livingston, John MacDonald, Willard Mc Cornack, Jack Pernut, Roland Renkel, Rudjhan Sapah, and Ruth White. These students were elected for outstanding graduate or undergraduate work in the social sciences.

Dr. John Donaldson, governor of the District of Columbia Province of Pi Gamma Mu, is in charge of arrangements for the dinner.

## Glee Clubs Combine In Giving Programs

Men and Women of the University Will  
Sing at Christmas Festivals

The Men's and Women's Glee Clubs of the University will present several joint programs of importance within the next ten days. Christmas carols sung Christmas Eve around the Christmas Tree on the Ellipse and broadcast over station WRC on a nation-wide hook-up will climax their holiday appearances. At this time three other glee clubs of the city will also sing carols, and the judges will pick one club out of the four to sing at the White House reception on Christmas night.

Thursday evening the two clubs will sing Christmas carols at the Christmas pageant to be presented by Orchestra, in the Church of the Holy City, located at 16th and Corcoran streets N. W. At the Friday noon Christmas Chapel they will also render a program of carols.



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## Finis

George Washington successfully terminated its football season at Griffith Stadium on Saturday when its fighting Colonials showed the way to Catholic and Georgetown elevens in holding Alabama's Rose Bowl team to a scoreless tie.

Critics have been awaiting the outcome of this contest to rank the three local teams, and it is gratifying to know that they can reach but one conclusion.

Pixlee's men, meeting the Tide in the position agreed by all coaches and critics to be the most difficult, obviously outplayed the Alabamans. Catholic University was defeated, and by a superior brand of football. Georgetown, playing in the most advantageous position, caught the weary Southerners at an opportune time, but failed to score. The facts speak for themselves.

We have much to look forward to next year. Our schedule includes games with opponents who will require us to extend ourselves to the limit through the entire season, and with the majority of the regulars expected back, and new material from the freshman crew available, a band of which anyone will be proud, and a cheering section which easily demonstrated its superiority at the game Saturday, it would seem that the only drawback to a completely successful Bicentennial campaign is a stadium which we can call our very own.

## Everybody Happy

The best results ever attained, says the faculty advisor of the Troubadours, speaking of the current show "Happy Landings" presented last week end at McKinley Auditorium.

It was a splendid effort, and every member of the group should feel well compensated for the endless and trying rehearsals, and the exhaustive preparation, which were so essential to the success of the production. All difficulties may be set aside, and worries forgotten, in the joy of work well done.

## Scholarship Rewarded

Announcement is made in this Hatchet of the pledging of ten men by Phi Eta Sigma, honorary freshman scholastic fraternity. It is gratifying to know that there are each year students entering George Washington University with a predetermined intention of doing their best instead of merely doing enough to get by; and it is encouraging to know that there is in the University an organization the function of which is to recognize the students who have performed outstanding work in their freshman year at college.

Following their initiation on January 9 these newcomers in Phi Eta Sigma will be members of a group from which much will be expected during their sojourn here as undergraduates. If they do not stop to rest on present laurels, they will be well repaid for their efforts and further recognition of worth will come to them.

The full significance of the pledging of these ten men is not realized, however, until one considers that there are many more who have barely missed the standard set for membership in Phi Eta Sigma. They, too, have an almost equal opportunity to profit from their endeavors and efforts above and beyond those required to pass their courses. It is from these others that the honorary fraternity initiates will draw competition that may best them in the quest for further achievement.

## World News

BY JAMES COBERLY

Last Monday at noon the seventy-second Congress of the United States assembled for the first time. The Democrats elected John M. Garner Speaker of the House with little difficulty on the opening day. Tuesday the Senate began balloting for its president pro tempore, but experienced more difficulty in reelecting Senator Moses. Progressives effectively blocked Republican efforts to reseat the gentleman from New Hampshire, who had termed them "Sons of wild asses." The office was without a holder at adjournment Friday, a fact which caused Democratic leaders to predict the election of Senator Pittman of Colorado to that post.

## Hoover Sends Three Messages

Meanwhile President Hoover had sent three messages to Congress. His first annual message was supplemented by two late ones dealing with the budget and foreign debts. In his annual message the President summarized conditions existing throughout the United States and the world, and outlined, in general, a proposed method of recovery. His budget message forecast the size of the national deficit and proposed considerable increases in taxation, which, with judicious trimming and curtailment of expenditures, he hopes will balance the budget by 1934.

The debate these two communications precipitated was considerable. With the exception of a reformation of the House rules which was introduced by Representative Crisp Tuesday and passed by a vote of 227 to 194, the entire week was occupied in hearing and commenting upon White House objectives. The general message was praised and condemned by those from whom praise and condemnation was expected. The budget plans brought forth a storm of Democratic protest and the promise of a plan of their own.

But the oratory was a mere gust compared to the story which broke after Mr. Hoover's moratorium message was read. The President advocated revival of the War Debt Board to consider reparation adjustments. He also urged action on the one-year moratorium proposed during the summer and membership in the World Court. But the War Board proposal drew the greatest attack—by Democrats, Republicans and Progressives.

The opposition alarmed the President to the extent that he appealed to the people and Congress through the press to adopt his measures. At the same time Secretary of the Treasury Mellon declared the administration opposed to debt cancellation in a vigorous defense of the President's proposal. Certain it is that no action will be taken on the moratorium issue until after today, the due date of international payments. It is known that debtor nations cannot pay. They will be allowed to default, the Treasury making no demands upon them.

## Bills Ask for Everything

Bills continued to pour in to the hopper. Bills asking for a dole, for farm and drought relief, for further bonus payments, for prohibition enactments, increased Federal projects, for everything, seemingly. Real work will be begun when organization is completed, when the Senate has elected a presiding officer, when committees in both houses have been formed and a legislation plan announced by the Democrats.

## Advisory Committee Meets

The special advisory committee in session at Basle, Switzerland, to inquire into German conditions as of 1931, spent the greater part of the week investigating. At its opening Alberto Beneduce of Italy was elected chairman when the American representative, Walter H. Stewart, refused to accept the post. Preliminary work has been speeded because of the harmony prevailing among the members, the most authoritative experts on international finance in the world.

By next week the committee should be ready to make its report. The difficulty will be in deciding whether to make a general recommendation for a new conference on reparations or include special details of settlement. France will maintain that, while temporary relief can be granted to Germany, payment of principal reparations must not be abandoned when the emergency passes.

## Cabinet Upset Creates Flurry

No small flurry was caused in financial circles by the news from Tokyo that the Wakatsuki cabinet had resigned. Late Saturday the new cabinet was announced. At its head is Tsuyoshi Inukai, member of the Seiyu party which has pledged itself to abandon the gold standard. The important post of Minister of Finance has been filled by Korekiyo Takahashi, succeeding former Minister Iouye whose policy was opposed by the industrialist group. As yet no one has been named to fill the posts of the foreign minister, war and navy. Suspension of the gold standard seems highly probable, the Tokyo and Osaka exchanges closing because of a sudden advance in prices.

No change is expected in Japan's Manchurian policy, although one of the first problems of the new ministry will concern the proposal to send an additional 15,000 troops to Manchuria. Both Japan and China have

## Employment Bureau Has Part-time Jobs With Unusual Hours

Many of the requests for student help received recently by the Employment Bureau have been difficult or impossible to fill because of the necessity of finding someone with unusual hours, or some very specialized type of training or experience. There are comparatively few men students with morning classes on the lists. Although good jobs are still very scarce, it is suggested that all interested in finding work register with this bureau on the chance that they might fit some unusual combination of requirements. Many students who registered early in the fall have since moved and failed to notify this office of their new addresses which of course places their applications on the inactive list.

## Reunion of Central High Graduates to Be Held in Their Library Jan. 1

All Central High School graduates are invited to attend the Central Alumni Reunion to be held at the school Friday, January 1, 1931, from 2 to 6 p. m. Admission is 50 cents. Dancing in the library to the music of the Belle Haven Orchestra, and entertainment by the G. W. Troubadours will be features of the program.

Various athletic events will occupy the early afternoon. A meeting of the alumni association will be held in the M. Ella Morgan Memorial Room at 3:15, when officers for the year will be elected. Immediately following the election Dr. Harvey A. Smith will greet the guests in the library.

The annual dues of \$1 for the association are now payable to G. W. Hodgkins, treasurer, Central High School Alumni Association, Central High School.

adopted the plan of neutral investigation suggested by the League of Nations, and have agreed to a suspension of hostilities, pending a report of the committee selected for this work.

## The Dictatorship in Germany

Germans and other peoples of the world who entertained doubts as to existence of the two man-dictatorship had them removed Tuesday. President von Hindenburg signed emergency decrees providing for drastic cuts in rents, fares and wages and commodity prices and an increase in taxes. The same day Chancellor Bruening in a radio talk announced the purpose of the decrees to be the safeguarding of budget and adoption of price levels to world deflation. In its scope the plan represents a greater encroachment upon private enterprise than ever before attempted by a government at one stroke.

Simultaneously, Herr Bruening declared that martial law would be invoked if necessary to restrain the activities of "Handsomen Adolph" and his Hitlerites. Definite measures to accomplish this and include: power of authorities to confiscate firearms; limitation of traffic in blackjacks and similar weapons; law on wearing political uniforms except in homes; rule preventing political meetings; imprisonment for those who defame public officials.

## Spain Fetes President

Spain, recently the scene of bloody rioting and overturn of existing governments, changed to one of celebration and holiday Friday when the first President of Spain's constitutional government, Don Niceto Alcalá Zamora, took the oath of office. It was a day of parades, speeches and ovation, the tricolor flag of the new republic flying over the former royal palace of King Alfonso VIII. Apparently undisturbed by the course of events in his old capital the former king worked on the improvement of his golf game at Fontainebleau, France.

## What a Hairdress

According to Professor F. E. Lloyd, of McGill University, the hairdress of former Egyptian beauties consisted of a mixture of red clay and tallow, made into a fine paste which, when applied to the hair, had the same effect as Stacomb has today.

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## CHIPS

Still convulsed by Troubadour with ringing with tuneful melodies and dazzled by campus pulchritude, Little Rollo begins to see the advantage of one-Connolly's tactics. Just wait until next year.

It is quite a pertinent point what the Troubadour program resembled most—a laundry ticket or the front page of The Hatchet with everything there but the honor roll.

Attention, Mr. Hearst, Trust Octopus looms in rat industry as a large rattery is found in the A. D. Pi rooms. At a late hour today, Dr. Moss refused to comment on alleged merger. After a survey of the food served at these sorority teas, Rollo thinks the matter should be turned over to the Humane Society.

The conflict of mid-term exams and Christmas dances is evident this year as usual. My dear isn't it too bad these professor fellows can't use a little discretion with their silly old questions.

What our campus wags do in their spare moments can be clearly seen in the comparative score sheet which makes us 143 points better than Tulane. Rollo figures that Tulane beat Georgia 20 to 7, while Southern California beat Georgia 60 to 0, which makes us 96 points better than U. S. C. which seems destined to take Tulane. My! Is there no end to this man's cleverness.

Thanks to Mr. Bundy, the big shots on the Hatchet staff are keeping a sharp eye out for the alleged "Vicious Circle" which seeks to make us conservative. Even rings are being checked before staff meeting.

Equipment and fittings of the Club Prudhom are being offered for sale cheap by prominent campus lights. Display will be held in the library or some other little frequented places.

For those co-eds who walk home it has been suggested that the run between building R and Corcoran Hall conducted by freshman women could be utilized as a lumbering up exercise.

Organization of the new Symphony Club leads us to ask permission to form a Sympathy Club of the Hatchet to protect us from the onslaught of club publicity seekers.

Gr-r-rs, but Ole Bama just couldn't be bothered and proceeded to muzzle the Cardinals 7 to 0. They tell us barking dogs never bite.

We wait in a state of anxious expectancy to hear Accordion Dan who was forced into silence in "Happy Landings" by the length of the show, popular request, temperament, etc., etc.

The Cherry Tree's annual "guess who" contest is now in full swing. Casson was in fine form on Rollo. The result resembled Felix the mouse, a Chi Omega pledge, and the assistant janitor so closely that there was no chance for recognition. This is subtle. Explanation on Page 7.

Attention, Miss Betty Emanon, my good woman, to aspire to kid Rollo is beyond the pale of your ability. And furthermore, a Greek Council is a Greek Council, and not a student body. DICK ROLLO.

Absolutely Perfect  
Dr. L. E. Dodd, University of California at Los Angeles, has devised a new timer, accurate to the thousandths of a second, for races. The starting gun breaks a current, making a mark on ribbon, and the runner or automobile, in crossing a beam of light, breaks the circuit, and another mark appears on the ribbon. By subtracting the first notation from the second, the accurate elapsed time is found.

## Students to the Rescue

Several students and instructors at Stout Institute declared a recess from classes to pursue bandits who robbed the state bank in the college town.



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## Frosh Five Meet Bethesda Tonight

Varsity Makes Debut Tomorrow Night at 8 o'clock;  
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The Freshman five gets under way tonight when they take on the Bethesda five in the Gym at 7 p. m. The Frosh also take on Business and Central this week. The Business game will take place Thursday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the Gym and the Central fray will be played here on Saturday at 4 p. m. The little Colonials have been practicing two weeks under the tutelage of Coach Walsh and tonight's contests will show just what progress they have made.

The Bethesda five has not had a very successful season this year winning only one game in three starts. The last game which they took by a large

margin of points indicated a complete reversal of form. With this in view the frosh may look to a merry battle in their first game.

Several of those out for the Frosh five earned all high honors last year and with these as a nucleus the team has been built up with team play as a major feature. The team worked very well against the varsity and is fast coming into shape. Noonan, Shirley, Gleason, Wickham, Christianson and McCullough are the outstanding men of those out and it will be from these that the team will be picked. Caruso will officiate at all three games.

## Women Begin Class Basketball Practice

Garber, Wilson, Watkins, and Cummings Are Appointed Team Managers

Women's interclass basketball practice began last week under the direction of Miss Helen Lawrence and Miss Agnes Rogers of the women's athletic department. Play will start immediately after the holidays. Practice is held in the gymnasium at 1 and 2 o'clock every day but Wednesday.

Forty upper classmen and many lower classmen are out for the teams this year. Class managers have been appointed as follows: senior, Betty Garber; junior, Dorothy Wilson; sophomore, Mary Lee Watkins; and freshman, Kathleen Cummings. Many of last year's teams are out again this year. Among these women are Linkins, McCallum, Tabinski, Grosvenor, Kay Watkins, Chafee, Cox, Buchanan, Haley, Von Lewinski, Corea, Spignul, and Fox.

Two picked teams will play a demonstration game using the new center pass, the first week in January. This game will be attended by all physical education directors of Washington.

A Play Day with Goucher College is scheduled for the first week in March. Two other play days are pending, but have not yet been definitely settled.

Miss Lawrence has announced that try-outs for the class teams are now closed. Members will be picked from the present squad.

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**Quigleys**  
The George Washington University Rifle Team lost its first match of the season against Johns Hopkins University the week ending December 5. Although defeated, Manager Melcer is quite pleased as it is too early in the season to judge the strength of the team.

Captain Barr of the George Washington team, holder of the national intercollegiate championship, was high man in the match with a total of 238 points.

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The scores against Johns Hopkins were as follows:

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Perkins	100	84	80	264
Chancellor	100	83	80	273
Stegman	100	81	87	278
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Johnson	98	82	83	272
Total				1382

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## Sport Axe

**GORDON V. POTTER**  
The great exhibition of three local teams playing against Alabama, Rose Bowl Champions of 1930, is over with 'Bama's line yet to be crossed.

The proceeds of the game, deducting expenses, netted for charity's coffers over \$11,000.

"Old Man" Pooley Hubert, whose dashes behind the powerful Tidal line were brilliant, is rather a wonder man. Hubert, who is in his early thirties, came up with the 'Bama boys without any intention to play. However, after consideration he decided to do his little bit and turned out to be one of the outstanding backs of the whole circus.

"Foots" Clement really does wear a No. 12 shoe. Anyone who watched Clement during the game will testify to this fact.

Fred Singleton, tackle on the Tide, was besieged by ardent autograph seekers for his signature after the game. Weary as he was, Fred satisfied all of his admirers.

Again at the end of the gridiron season the annual hue and cry is aroused concerning professionalism and semi-professionalism in college football.

This year the publicity is being conducted by editors of various college weeklies and a few reports by professors.

Charges of professionalism against teams today are no innovation. "Way back in 1899 the University of Georgia was charged with keeping Northern soldiers returning from the Spanish-American war at the school to play football. The University of Missouri was considered almost free from any taint connected with the game except for the fact that the coach could not resist the temptation to go into the game when the going got rough.

McRight, one of the Crimson Tide, was visiting his brothers at the Phi Sigma Kappa house, Sunday, and was asked what he thought of the George Washington backfield men.

He replied with a knowing look, "We saw too much of them."

There were 25 men on each side in the first football game played in the United States, November 6, 1869. Rutgers and Princeton were the participants—Rutgers won.

The Colonial quint opens its schedule against Shenandoah College, Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the far famed "Tin Tabernacle" on H. Street.

It will be interesting to see how our courtmen fare in their first contest. All of the veterans have returned with the exception of Connor, and the team will acquire a number of excellent backsters from the 1929-30 freshman squad.

**Rifle Team Loses  
To Johns Hopkins  
In Opening Match**

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## Max Rote Stars In Water Festival

Kinsler and McMillan Prove Valuable Members of Colonial Squad

Max Rote, Colonial entrant in the December open meet sponsored by the Ambassador Hotel on December 11, in the Ambassador Pool, was the star performer of the evening, capturing two firsts, the 50-yard style dash, and the 100-yard backstroke swim. Rote showed good form and won his events easily against strong competition.

The Ambassador squad won 17 points, G. W. took 15 points and Georgetown took 4 points in the senior men's events, which results presage a successful season for the Colonials.

In the 100-yard breaststroke event Kinsler was a close second to Alvarado from the Ambassador squad. In the 100-yard back stroke finals three of the four who placed were G. Wites, and Garret and R. McMillan were barely nosed out in the semi-finals of that event. Garret and McMillan were swimming in competition for the first time Friday evening, and will be valuable assets to the Colonial squad when it enters intercollegiate competition in January.

Max Mullen and Gale Heslop won third places in the 100-yard backstroke and fancy diving events, respectively.

Results of events in which the G. W. swimmers were entered were:

50-yard free style—Won by Max Rote (G. W.); second, C. Parcells (G. U.); third, T. Benedetti (G. U.). Time, 0:24.

100-yard breaststroke—Won by Con Alvarado (Ambassador); second, J. Kinsler (G. W.); third, N. Robbins (Ambassador). Time, 1:12:3-5.

100-yard backstroke—Won by Max Rote (G. W.); second, N. Robbins (Ambassador); third, C. McMillan (G. W.). Time, 1:12:3-6.

Fancy diving—Won by Vincent Gomez (Ambassador); second, John Broadus (Ambassador); third, Gales Heslop (G. W.). Division of points, 80.8, 77.28, 69.78.

## Fraternity Quints In Close Contests

Phi Sigs and Delts Tied in League A; Sig Eps and Sigma Nu Tied in Other

**TEAM STANDINGS  
LEAGUE A**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Delta Tau Delta	2	0	1000
Phi Sigma Kappa	2	0	1000
Sigma Chi	1	1	500
Theta Upsilon Omega	1	1	500
Theta Delta Chi	0	2	0000
Acacia	0	2	0000

**LEAGUE B**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Sigma Phi Epsilon	3	0	1000
Sigma Nu	3	0	1000
Kappa Sigma	0	2	0000
Kappa Alpha	0	2	0000
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	0	2	0000

This week's games will be: Tuesday night, Phi Sigma Kappa vs. Delta Tau Delta, at 8 p. m. in the gym; Thursday night, Sigma Chi vs. T. U. O., and S. A. E. vs. K. A., at 8 o'clock.

Sigma Nu, defending champ in the Interfraternity Basketball Tourney, decisively demonstrated superiority over Kappa Sigma and Kappa Alpha in well-played games in the gym on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Delta Tau Delta barely outlasted a fighting T. U. O. quint to gain a tie for first honors with Phi Sig in League A, while Sigma Chi entered the win column by trouncing the Theta Delta.

The guarding of Sigma Nu, especially that of Billy Woodward and Perry White, stood out in both the Kappa Sig and K. A. games. Sigma Nu easily took the game with Kappa Sig, 24-5, in which the losers were unable to score until near the end of the third period. Woodward's cool leadership coupled with Lee Carlin's sharp-shooting were too much for the fast-tiring Kappa Sigs.

Again on Friday night, when K. A. was beaten, 28-6, Sigma Nu did not allow its opponents to score until the last half. A short let-up in the third period allowed the K. A.'s to score after Minor Hudson potted one on the sidelines. The absence of Evans, star guard, was distinctly felt by the losers. Waller and Allen were the high scorers for the winners in this game with 8 points apiece.

**Sigma Chi Wins**  
In its second game of the tourney, Sigma Chi toppled a luckless Theta Delt team, 28-18. The N-Streeters held a lead of two points at half time and slowly increased this margin when Hallett and Sterling began putting the ball in consistently. A strong passing attack enabled the winners to threaten throughout with only a lack of shooting ability keeping them from scoring more often. E. Backus led the Theta Delt attack with 5 points.

After a close battle, which saw the lead seaway back and forth, the Delts licked T. U. O., 18-15. A distinct lack of team play on the part of both teams was disappointing to spectators. Innumerable wasted shots in the vicinity of the basket when passes would have accomplished much more, expunged whatever good plays were made. Caughlin, of the Delts, whose wild throws at the basket garnered him eight points, led the team scoring. The adaptability of Newland, T. U. O. guard, at taking the ball away from enterprising forwards was particularly commendable.

## Colonial Five Will Oppose Shenandoah

Little Colonials Also Face Business and Central Later This Week

The Colonial quint will make their seasons debut against the Shenandoah five tomorrow night in the Gymnasium at 8 p. m. The Buff and Blue have had several weeks of practice and are fast rounding into form for the coming season when they will meet some of the foremost teams in the country. With several of last year's veterans back in the line-up the team takes on the aspect of a winning one.

The Shenandoah quint has always boasted of a good five and this year's team is of no lower caliber. One man on the team, the center, has been exceptionally outstanding for his wonderful shooting. He has piled up an amazing number of points for so short a time and will bear watching.

The Colonials have added two men to their five from whom much is expected during the season. Patrick and Hertler, both standing above six feet four inches, have shown some of their wares in the Interfraternity contests staged in the past three weeks. Patrick scored over 300 points last season. Burgess, one of the high point scorers for the District last season, will be back with the team in his old capacity as guard.

Zahn, one of last year's regular guards, will occupy the same position this year. Jake Olverson, from last year's freshman squad, has gotten a berth on this year's five in the capacity of one of the forwards. These five men will comprise the starting line-up for the Colonials in the game tomorrow night.

The football men out for the team have only been out since the fray with Alabama last Saturday and will be on the reserve list for this game. These men are: Chambers, Carlin, Mulvey and Fenlon.

Admission to the game will be by activity card for students and the charge for the general public will be one dollar. There will be no reserved seats.

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With the spirit of Christmas in the offing, the campus takes on an air of festivity. Several of the fraternities will give their annual Christmas dances during the coming week, since so many students are leaving town for the holidays. The two weeks so generously bestowed on the student body for their Christmas vacation will enable the Colonial pleasure-seekers to enjoy themselves to the utmost.

Sunday afternoon, December 13, many G. W.—ites attended the weekly tea dance at the new Kennedy-Warren. Jerry Free's orchestra played.

The pledges of Alpha Delta Pi entertained the pledges of the other campus sororities at a tea on Monday, November 30.

### Boat Club To Be Scene Of Holiday Dances

Students of George Washington, as well as those home for the holidays from other universities, are planning two outstanding dances at the Old Dominion Boat Club in Alexandria on Christmas and New Year's nights. McWilliam's orchestra will furnish the music from eleven until two. Popular school songs of George Washington, Virginia, V. M. L., and V. P. L. will be featured at both dances.

Olivia Nixon is spending the week in Atlantic City.

Marian Huse spent the week-end in New York, where she attended the Army-Navy game and dance in compliment to the two teams.

### Fraternities Give Holiday Dances

Delta Tau Delta will give their Christmas formal at the Hay-Adams House on Thursday, December 17, from eleven until two. Jarboe's Night Hawks will furnish the music.

The Sigma Nu Christmas dance on Saturday, December 19, is another of the many dances during the coming week. Guests will dance to the tune of music played by the Hot Chocolates.

The Kappa Sigma are giving a Christmas dance at the house on Saturday night from ten until one. Music will be furnished by Charlie Wright.

Theta Delta Chi will give their Christmas dance at the house on Friday, December 18. Bowman Anderson's band will play for them.

Kappa Alpha will entertain their members, pledges, and their dates at their annual Christmas Eve dance. Dagmoir will play for them.

S. A. E. will hold its annual Christmas party and dance at the house Friday evening with McWilliams' band furnishing the music. The usual tree will be in evidence with Santa Claus distributing some unique favors to the girls.

The Friars announce the pledging of William Parker, Edwin Edelen, John Keerful and J. Edward Folger.

The wedding of Barbara Miller to Emory Nielson which will take place on January 2 will be of particular interest to G. W. students, as Miss Miller was one of the most popular co-eds before her graduation in 1930. She is a member of Alpha Delta Pi. A number of parties are being given in her honor. Among them, Ruth Griggs, is entertaining at a bridge-shower Friday, December 18, Dorothy Albert will give a dinner-dance at Congressional Country Club, December 26, and Cecile Har-

ington and Louise Bruce are giving a tea and shower December 29.

### Sigma Chi Entertains At Informal Gathering

After Troubadours Friday night, the Sigma Chi house was the scene of a gay gathering. Among those present were Anita Jane Watson, Doris Skinner, Betty Rose, Janey Allen, Mary Wade Moses, Jane Harrison, Alice Walford, Evelyn Eller and Peggy Silber.

The Friars held their annual Founder's Day Banquet on November 26, at Olney Inn, with 14 members and pledges present. Letters or telegrams were received from all absent members.

Alpha Delta Pi will hold their annual Christmas Formal at 2400 Sixteenth Street on December 28.

The Kennedy-Warren will be the scene of the Interfraternity pledge prom Wednesday night, December 16.

Among those who attended the Army-Navy game in New York were Margaret McReynolds, Louise Linkins, Barbara Wells, Nance Hall and Ruth DeVane.

Marcia Stauffer spent the week-end in Philadelphia.

Saturday night, December 19, Chi Omega will hold a Christmas dance at the Bethesda Women's Club, with Junie Wells' orchestra furnishing the music.

Pi Beta Phi had as its house guest, Helen Smith, of Gamma province. She was entertained with a dinner on Saturday night, and a tea on Sunday afternoon.

May Sykes is giving a luncheon for Ella Sandburg and Barbara McCartney who are making their debuts this year. The Misses Sandburg and McCartney will also be the guests of honor at a dance at the Army-Navy Club during the Christmas holidays.

Theta Upsilon Omega gave a dance Friday night at their house.

### Mrs. Willebrandt Hostess to Alumnae of Legal Fraternity

Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt entertained the Washington Alumnae Chapter, Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity, in her home on Tuesday in honor of Miss Kathleen Duggan, national secretary of Delta Sigma Rho, who is soon to be married to Mr. Frank S. Smith. Miss Duggan was one of the judges of the Freshmen Women's Oratorical Contest held here at the University.

The pledges of T. U. O. will give an informal at the Hay-Adams House, December 19, in honor of the actives.

John Fenlon and Finis Parrish were the guests of Acacia at Sunday dinner in celebration of a successful football season.

Edith McCoy, Edith Brookhart, and Frances Gaden, spent last week-end in Baltimore.

Alpha Nu Chapter of the Kappa Alpha formally initiated Herbert L. Rawlings and Gordon V. Potter of Washington, D. C., and Charles A. Yontz, of West Virginia, last Saturday night at the chapter house. Among

## John Wesley Jones Is Detailed As Vice Consul To Calcutta; Formerly In Mexico

George Washington University Graduate Receives India Appointment; First Alumnus to Hold This Position; Served in Many University Activities

Announcement has just been made by the State Department that John Wesley "Wick" Jones, a graduate of the George Washington University, has been detailed as vice consul to Calcutta, India.

"Wick," as he is familiarly known to a great number of his friends in the university, graduated from Columbian College in the class of '30. After successfully passing the State Department examination for the position of vice consul, he was sent to Satilla, Mexico, where he served until recently. Upon completion of the regular course of study, which is given to all members of the foreign service before being sent to a permanent post, "Wick" was officially notified of his appointment to the post in Calcutta for a period of three years.

While a student at George Washington, "Wick" served the university as Employment Secretary, at which time a great deal of attention was drawn to his success in this endeavor because of the large number of positions that he found, in spite of the apparent city-wide lack of such opportunities. Several newspapers, among them The News, ran feature articles on "Wick's" success in competition with other employment agencies, notably the Federal Employment Agency.

Aside from his official capacity and his studies, Jones was active on the campus. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and served as delegate to the Interfraternity Council as well as being a member of Gate and Key, the honorary interfraternity society. When Delta Phi Epsilon, foreign service fraternity, was organized here,

the many brothers attending was Paul M. Speake, Traveling Secretary of Kappa Alpha.

Polly Weihe entertained at her home on Sunday night. Among those present were Maude Hudson, Bill Dismar, Faust Simpson, Mabel Money, Betty Monroe and Dick Gibson.

The Alumnae Chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha entertained the active chapter at the home of Mrs. Ada Hess, president of Alpha Province.

Sue Johnson was hostess to several G. W. students at dinner at the Madison Sunday evening. Those present were Marjorie Montgomery, Arthur Kriemelmeyer, Joe Carter, Roy Hoffman, and Crissy Snead, of Charlottesville, Va.

Zeta Tau Alpha gave a dinner in the chapter rooms on Monday night.

Margaret Blackstone visited her sister in Philadelphia recently.

Pi Beta Phi announces the informal pledging of Virginia Pope on Thursday, December 10.

Alpha Nu Chapter of Kappa Alpha announces the formal pledging of Clyce Aston, of Texas. Aston has matriculated at the George Washington Law School.

### Former Student Leaves For Foreign Post

"Wick" Jones was the guest of honor last Wednesday evening at a farewell party held at Wardman Park Hotel by his friends in the University, in celebration of his assignment to the post of vice-consul at Calcutta, India.

Louis Melvin, Acacia alumnus of the Illinois Chapter, is a guest at the local chapter house.

As a grand finale, after the last Troubadours performance on Saturday night, every one in the show, not to mention countless other students, adjourned to the Club Prudhom, Washington's Cotton Club, in search of novel entertainment. They found it—and the club was the scene of the gayest of parties.

Mrs. Raymond Tompkins and Mrs. Henry Link, wives of active Acacians, were dinner guests at the Acacia House on Sunday, December 13.

The Pi Beta Phi Mothers' Club entertained the mothers of the pledges at tea on Sunday, at the home of Mrs. Frank Dunlap.

Jack Vivian and Thomas O'Neal are driving to Key West, and then ferrying to Havana during the holidays. They are planning to stop at the various Delta Tau Delta houses en route.

Wallis Schutt will spend the vacation at home in Brielle, N. J.

The Luther Club entertained at a Christmas party December 8 in the attractive social room of Christ Lutheran Church. Following the singing of Christmas carols and an impromptu skit, refreshments were served.

### Fights in the Offing

The University of Pennsylvania is planning to conduct model Republican and Democratic nominating conventions.



"WICK" JONES

"Wick" was initiated as one of the charter members.

"Wick" devoted a great deal of his time to the then popular "Ghost," the college comic magazine, in the capacity of business manager.

The announcement of Jones' destination, India, reminds his fellow students of the large part the George Washington University plays in the remote affairs of the country. As far as is known "Wick" Jones is the first graduate of the university to take up his post as vice consul in Calcutta.

## Women Sprinters Display Stiffness After New Tests

Hey! Skinny! Did you take your motor ability test? Boy! did I take it? I'm so stiff I can't walk up the stairs yet. And plenty of other freshmen and Sophomores were in the same predicament last week. You see, the Women's Physical Education Department sprung a test on these defenseless little girls to find out just how fast they could run when they had to. No, they didn't make them sprint from Building "D" to Corcoran Hall—that's too common. The staff tried something more aesthetic.

The starter murmured "One, Two, Three, Go!" and one was off on a head-long start with a somersault. If this did not impair the student's mental faculties too much, she jumped gracefully over a stick, climbed up an er—ah—wiggly ladder with many a wall of gnashing of teeth—then—"Hurry, my good girl!"—and off she ran to move some gingerale bottles from one circle to another. One cannot appreciate the difficulty of this task until one does it—but just try to make a ginger ale bottle stand up when you want it to. After tottering along a balance beam the "testee" panted to a triumphant finish through two chairs.

Believe it or not, the fastest sprinter crossed the line in 45 seconds, but the average person took 60 seconds—time out for the gingerale bottles.

Could you go faster? Try it and see.

## University Students Give Christmas Play

The George Washington Glee Clubs and Orchestras are combining talents in the production of a Christmas program to be given at the Church of the Holy City, 16th and Corcoran streets, December 17. Those in the leading roles are Harriet Atwell as Mary, Eleanor Heller as Joseph, and Betty Ellett as the Angel.

## Newman Club Will Give Christmas Dance at Kenwood

The Newman Club will hold its annual yuletide frolic at the Kenwood Country Club on December 18, from ten to one. Bran Hughes' Orchestra will furnish the music.

Leonard Ebel has been appointed chairman of the committee on arrangements. The Christmas dance at the Newman Club has proven to be a popular event on previous occasions, and much enthusiasm has been evidenced following the announcement of this year's frolic.

Admission is by invitation only, and all students wishing to receive invitations are requested to call Thomas Bentley, Harvard Hall Apartments, before December 17.

Chaperones for the evening will include Professor and Mrs. Richard N. Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ugast.

## Jewish Student Association Plans Dances to Raise Fund

The Jewish Student Loan Association has chosen Sunday, January 10, 1932, as the date for the first of their 1932 series of dances. The Jewish Student Loan Association is an organization composed of representatives from the leading Jewish fraternities and sororities in and around Washington. Its purpose is the establishment of a general fund which is to be used in making loans to Jewish students who are financing themselves through college, and are in need of financial assistance. The movement has met with widespread approval from school authorities as well as civic leaders.

## Sigma Delta Phi Initiates Entertained at Reception

Ada Green, Louise Bruce, Clara Critchfield, and Miss Constance Connor Brown, and Miss Helen Newman honorary initiates of Sigma Delta Phi, honorary speech arts fraternity, were entertained at a reception at the home of Professor and Mrs. Willard Hayes Yeager, Sunday, December 13, following an initiation ceremony.

Mrs. John Raymond Lapham, wife of Dean Lapham of the Engineering School, Mrs. William Johnston Malory, president of Columbia Women, and Mrs. DeWitt Clinton Croissant, poured.

## Music Appreciation Group Forms New Organization

A group of University students interested in music appreciation met Sunday evening, December 13, and formed an organization to be known as the Symphony Club. Supper was served and officers were elected. Edith Spaulding was unanimously chosen president and Mary Elizabeth Pierce secretary-treasurer.

Miss Clara Buzroughs, supervisor of music appreciation in the public schools of the District, spoke on the new National Symphony Orchestra and its conductor, Mr. Hans Kindler.

All students interested in music appreciation are invited to attend the next meeting on January 17.

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## Economics Professor Received Degree Given By University Of Keio In Japan

Dr. Daniel Huston Buchanan Is First Non-Japanese to Receive Degree of Doctor of Economic Science From Nipponese Institution

Dr. Daniel Huston Buchanan, associate professor of Economics, has had the distinction of receiving the degree of doctor of economic science at the Keio University, one of the largest and oldest in Japan. He is the only non-Japanese to hold this degree.

Dr. Buchanan was associated with the Japanese university as a professor after his graduation from Harvard. The American University has been rather closely associated with Keio University for the past forty years and during that time have been two or three Harvard men teaching on the staff of the university. Professors from other countries, England, France, Germany and Italy, also serve on the staff because the Japanese feel that they are able to absorb western ideas

more swiftly by the contacts made possible through instructors from Europe and America.

Before Japan opened itself to western influences, the education of Japanese children was largely religious, as in Europe in early times; and instruction was given by the priests at the temples. Western influence brought a new institution of learning, the university, modeled on our own, Keio being among one of the first founded.

Dr. Buchanan spent ten years in Japan and while there covered the country quite thoroughly. Because of the narrow roads he went from place to place on motorcycle, and during vacations lived in little out-of-the-way villages, so that he might observe and study Japanese agriculture. His activities, however, were not confined to one country. He traveled in China, Manchuria, and through Siberia.

After returning to this country, Dr. Buchanan stayed but a short time for the Bureau of International Research of Harvard University asked him to go to India to study the development of modern industry in that country, a task he was well qualified to undertake. He was more than a year in India and traveled extensively during that time.

One thing that especially impressed Dr. Buchanan is that the traveler in India sees so many things which are the forerunners of European civilization—many customs and attitudes are similar to those found later in Europe; music and language too have similarities, many words being very much like ours.

Dr. Buchanan came to George Washington this fall. Those who study economics will benefit from his genuine interest in his subject, his wide experience, and careful study.

A zither is a kind of snake, a French gun, or a sword; the L. C. Smith Company makes motor trucks and steam engines; habes corpus is a medical term; "All Quiet on the Western Front" was written by Zane Grey; and lacrosse is a kind of rowboat, was the startling information brought forth in a classification test for incoming freshmen at the University of Kentucky.

**Smokers Predominate**  
Figures from Shelton College show that 68.2 per cent of college men, and 50 per cent of college women smoke; and that the total cigarette bill per year for college people was \$36,027,708. Eighty-five per cent of college women use lipstick, and 50 per cent of the men and women use Listerine.

## Charity Football Game Nets Large Profit for Unemployed

George Washington University's contribution to the District Unemployment Committee may justly be appreciated when one delves into the facts concerning the football triple-header last Saturday.

The scheduling of an exhibition of football that has never been seen in these parts before, was due in no small part to the efforts of University officials. After succeeding in arranging a game with the Crimson Tide for G. W. U. to take part in this superb circus.

Over ten thousand spectators paid \$14,672.50 to witness this trio of games, of which \$11,171.50 goes to the unemployed of the District. Traveling expenses of the Alabama football squad, which totaled \$3,500, was guaranteed by G. W.

## French Addresses Student Engineers

"The Wellman Polar Expedition" Is Subject of Professor's Talk

"The Wellman Polar Expedition" was the subject of a talk delivered by Professor Owen B. French of the School of Engineering, at the last meeting of the local student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

In 1894 Professor French was connected with the Coast and Geodetic Survey and accompanied Wellman, prominent arctic explorer, on a trip into the North. French acted in the capacity of navigator.

Leaving New York in the early spring of 1894, the expedition went to London and Belgium in search of sledge dogs. After they had obtained forty, they sailed to Norway where they chartered a steam vessel. They stopped at Dane's Island then continued on to the Seven Islands, the jump-off for the pole.

They left their ship anchored to a huge ice-flow under the care of the captain and a few Norwegians. Eight days later the captain caught up with them with the news that the ship had been crushed in the ice during a storm.

**No Transportation**  
Left without any means of transportation back to civilization, and without any way of transmitting the S. O. S. rapidly, Wellman sent the captain and two men in a small boat in the hope that they might reach the mainland to send help. For weeks the expedition forced its way across the seemingly endless sea of ice, transporting their equipment with the aid of sledges and two boats.

When their food dwindled to the vanishing point, and the dogs could no longer be fed, the party shot and killed the remaining thirty-odd.

They thought their luck had turned when they were given an opportunity to kill five reindeer, but shortly afterward they met unforeseen obstacles. They reached the edge of the smooth ice, and from there to the pole the surface was too rough for travel. Beaten by countless storms, the foes had heaved upward to leave a broken and impassable surface.

**Arctic Summer**  
Arctic summer was upon them when they turned toward their base. Pools of varying but indeterminate depth lay everywhere upon the ice, and though the temperature barely fell below 35 degrees, the party was chilled by repeated immersions.

They returned to the base where their ship had sunk, and sent out scouts to determine the proximity of open sea. The sealing season had opened, and by a rare chance, they found a schooner large enough to accommodate their group. Leaving the remaining supplies with adequate markings, Wellman and his expedition sailed for home. The captain who had been sent after aid had hired a ship and was out of port just one day when the expedition returned.

That was 1894 when polar exploration was not to be lightly tackled. Professor French did all the navigating for the party, and it was upon navigation that the lives of Wellman and his fellow adventurers chiefly depended.

## Yearbook Pictures Increase In Prices After December 22

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Features—Anita Dunlap, editor; Eleanor Spencer, Robert Gallmeyer, Amanda Chittum, Leonard Stevens. Fraternities—John Walstrom, editor; Edward Crouch, Gordon McCain, James Coberly.

Organizations—Ralph McCoy, editor; Catherine Fox, Elizabeth Middlemas, Betty Bacon.

Society—Evelyn Eller, editor; Eleanor Herzog, Peggy Silber.

Sororities—Marie Siegrist, editor; Evelyn Iverson, Irene Moore, Ruth Molyneux.

Men's Sports—William Hanback, editor; John Madigan, Carroll Cowles, Chester Jones, Ralph Rose.

Women's Sports—Jean Fugitt, editor; Harriet Atwell, Kathleen Watkins, Edith Brookhart, Mary Lee Watkins, Margaret Blackstone.

Law School—Louise Feinstein, editor.

Pharmacy School—Herbert Socks, editor.

Medical School—Ray Edmonston, editor.

## "Shorty" Startles Corcoran Classes By Ghostly Last-Minute Appearances

Canine Student Comes From Texas to Attend Rhetoric, Political Science and Physical Education Classes; Specialty Is Football Practice

Open comes the door of Corcoran 10. Bang! it goes shut just as the bell rings. Heads turn, eyes searching to see the cause of this disturbance. What! Ghosts in Corcoran! Shivers run up and down the spines of the students as they realize with a start that no visible being has passed through the door. But wait! Does anyone see that little streak of black and white shooting across the floor? Yes, the mystery is explained now, and the class relaxes with a sigh of relief. It is the smallest member of the class, "Shorty" making an unusual tardy appearance.

Why, don't you know "Shorty"? He's just a little black and white dog. Though dogs don't usually go in for college educations, "Shorty" came all the way from Texas for this purpose. He hasn't much leisure. Besides attending Rhetoric, Political Science, and three Physical Education classes a week, "Shorty" spends much time on the Monument Grounds.

No, he isn't sight-seeing in Washington. The Monument doesn't even impress him. His purpose in being here is to criticize the playing of the G. W. football team. Why is he so interested in this team? Is it merely because of student loyalty? No, indeed! He has a more personal motive. This personal motive is five feet ten inches tall and weighs one hundred and eighty pounds. His name is Kermit "Zuzu" Stewart.

If someone should ask whether or not "Shorty" is well repaid for his services, the answer would be yes. In rain or shine "Shorty" will get along O. K. He has a nice warm bed at the football house, and a nice warm blanket that he uses in place of an umbrella in rainy weather. This blanket does not conceal the identity of "Shorty," however, because he still portrays his school spirit by wearing the letters "G. W." on it.

## Troubadours' Annual Comedy Sends Audience Into Uproar

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happy while doing so. If you thought his antics slightly too violent, remember that there was no resort to the throwing of pies, a commendable feature.

Ruth Molyneux and Bert Bagranoff revealed remarkably cultured voices in "We'll Come Smiling Through" and "Peeping Through the Clouds." And from the fact that both songs make use of the word "through" you may easily discern that this charming leading lady and leading man had to poke their way into and out of, meaning "through," lots of trivial misunderstandings before the final curtain.

An adorably efficient foil for the galvanizing of Danzansky was Mildred (sounds much more attractive than "Midge" or "Julie") Burnham who is quite well known around this office as the result of her additional efforts as publicity director of "Happy Landings." Her "I'll Be On the Up and Up With You" was quite good.

Louise Berryman, Dolph Atherton, and Grant Van Demark rounded out the cast of principals with unusually truthful delineations of a pair of aviators and the principal of the flying school where the scene of the musical is laid.

Continuing of the chorines was a revelation. No, you shouldn't have interrupted. It wasn't that kind of revelation but one of captivating costumes and efficient dance routines. The "giant" chorus looked best out front, the "middles" were the best drilled, and some of the "runts" seemed to have an eye on the possibilities of sleeping during Christmas vacation. (That statement will probably result in the accusation that this column is partial to height and weight. Prove it!)

Settings by Dean Longfellow were well done, the scenes in the Night Club and on the campus meriting compliment. Stage properties were of a caliber to make the eyes pop, especially in the scene in the principal's office.

A specialty dance by Marjorie Mitchell, Ralph "Sack" Kennedy, and Steve Nyman, and individual dances by the first two were diverting interludes, as were songs by a male quartet, Hugh Buckingham, Jack Perry, Samuel Detweiler, and Harold Stepler, and a female trio, Margaret Blackstone, Ann Watson, and Helen Middleton.

One feature deserving particular praise was the finale "Happy Landings." Final scenes of musicals usually lack punch, but this one certainly did not. Perhaps it was because the number had not been sung before and so was sprung with a bang on the audience, but it did seem a shame that its fine rhythm could not have been heard more.

Director Denis Connell has here added one more to his list of Troubadour successes, and Dan Beattie wins more cap feathers for his successful songs, "We'll Come Smiling Through," "Clothes Make the Girl Make the Man," and "Happy Landings" and his general everlovingness as managing director of the Troubadours. Ruth Devine, we understand, directed the business department to a more than satisfactory financial result; and George Wenzl's orchestra was quite a delight, despite its rushing of many cues.

## "Buzzards" Locate New Soaring Site

Glider Club Selects Spot Near Braddock Heights, Maryland

The long sought soaring site of G. W.'s glider club, The Buzzards, has been found at last. After searching all over Virginia and Maryland, Professor A. F. Johnson, of the Engineering School, located a likely spot near Braddock Heights, Md.

Soaring flights will be possible from the discovered ridge even for beginners. There are numerous landing fields in the valley below the high field so that no matter how much trouble a pilot encounters "upstairs" he will have a safe field in which to land. The field at the top of the ridge is large enough to accommodate an auto tow of the ships, and the antiquated shot cord method of launching will not be used.

**You Probably Won't Marry**  
Dr. Roy N. Anderson, personnel investigator at Teacher's College, Columbia University, has found that only 40 to 60 per cent of college women marry, and that the salaries of college women are from \$590 to \$1,800, as compared to \$905 to \$2,275 a year for business and professional women.


**Many New Chapters**  
Eighty new chapters in the 21 women's college fraternities affiliated with the National Panhellenic Congress were established during the past year.



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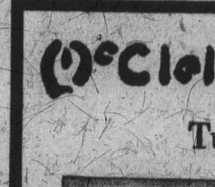
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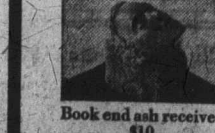
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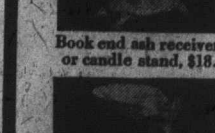
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## Hector Lazo Talks To El Club Espanol

Speaker Gives Interesting Account of Conditions in Porto Rico

El Club Espanol heard Hector Lazo, commercial advisor to Governor Roosevelt, speak on Porto Rico Friday night.

Mr. Lazo spoke on the progress which has been made in Porto Rico under its present governor. In his opinion Governor Roosevelt's greatest contribution to the Porto Rican people is the spirit of hope and courage which he has been able to instill in them. Two reels of film showing Porto Rican scenes and President Hoover's last trip through the Caribbean followed Mr. Lazo's address.

## German Club Hears Talk Of Conditions in Germany

There was a meeting of the German Club, Friday, December 11. Mr. Emil Beckmann, of Dusseldorf, Germany, gave a very interesting talk about German customs and present-day conditions in Germany.

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## Announcements

### Alpha Sigma Eta

A third meeting of Alpha Sigma Eta, national Eagle Scout fraternity, will be held Wednesday night at 8 in Corcoran Hall 32. All Eagle scouts in the University are expected to be present.

### W. A. A. Board

There will be a meeting of the W. A. A. board Wednesday, December 16, at noon.

### Swimming Club

The Women's swimming club will meet today at 3:30 at the Y. W. C. A.

### Liberal Club

Judson King, director of the National Popular Government League, will speak on "The Power Question, Hoover and Muscle Shoals" before the Liberal Club at 8:15 p. m., Wednesday, December 16, in Corcoran Hall 17. Everyone is welcome.

### Episcopal Club

The Episcopal Club will give its Christmas party Thursday, December 17, at 8 p. m. at St. John's Parish House, 821 Sixteenth Street. A special program has been planned. Members and friends are urged to attend.

### Men's Educational Club

The men of the School of Education are requested to attend the next meeting of the Educational Club in Building D on Monday, December 21, at 8 p. m. Election of officers will be held.

### A. S. C. E.

An important meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers, G. W. Student Chapter, will take place Wednesday night, December 16, at 8:15 in Building K, room 12. All members of the society are expected to attend. Bids for the Engineers' Ball will be given out, and copy for the "Pick and Shovel" will be solicited.

### Newman Club

The second December meeting of the Newman Club will be in Corcoran Hall 29, on December 16 at 8:30 p. m. Miss Agnes Regan, regent of the National Catholic School for Social Service, will address the club on "Catholic Action for the Student." All students are urged to attend.

### Menorah Club

There will be a meeting of the Menorah Club on January 7, the first Thursday after the holidays. An interesting program is being planned by the newly-elected officers who are Sylvia Werksman, president; Elizabeth Gelman, vice president; Leon Roten, secretary, program chairman; and Charlotte Dubin, publicity director. All students are cordially invited.

### Z. T. A. Subscription Dance

Zeta Tau Alpha is giving a subscription dance Saturday, December 19, at Corcoran Hall 16, at 8 o'clock. Music by Dagmoir.

### Orchid on Exhibit

The Botany Department's new greenhouse is about to present its first exhibit. An orchid, Cattleya, procured from the White House Conservatory by Mr. Storey, will burst into bloom within the next few days. The greenhouse may be reached by way of the backstairs of building H, and anyone interested is urged to visit the distinguished Cattleya in all her glory.

### Colonial Campus Club

There will be a meeting of the Colonial Campus Club Monday, January 4, in Corcoran Hall 16, at 8 o'clock. All women interested are invited to attend.

### Y. W. C. A.

Y. W. C. A. will meet at noon today in Corcoran Hall 24. All members are urged to attend, as the meeting will be exceedingly important. All "Y" members and interested students are reminded that Saturday, December 19, will be devoted exclusively to the Toy Shop. Work will be going on all day, on the third floor of the Lambie House, Building Z.

### Presbyterian Club

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terian Club on the subject of "What is Christianity?" take place every Wednesday at 12:30 p. m., in W-15. The group will discuss Amos, the prophet, this week. Everyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

### Faculty Club

There will be a meeting of the Faculty Club Friday evening, December 18, at 8:15 p. m. in the faculty room in the Woodhull Administration Building. Dr. Earl B. McKinley, dean of the Medical School, will speak on "The Future of the G. W. U. Medical School."

### Phi Pi Epsilon

Phi Pi Epsilon, women's foreign service sorority, will hold its regular meeting Thursday, December 17, at 1 o'clock in the Pi Beta Phi rooms. All members must be present.

### Vacation Library Hours

During the Christmas recess the hours in the General and the Law libraries will be:

General Library:  
Dec. 20—closed.  
Dec. 21, 22, 23—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Dec. 24, 25, 26, 27—closed.  
Dec. 28, 29, 30, 31—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
Jan. 1—closed.  
Jan. 2—9 a. m. to 1 p. m.  
Jan. 3—closed.  
During the periods the General Library is closed, reserve books may be withdrawn for home use.  
Law Library:  
Dec. 20—2 p. m. to 6 p. m.  
Dec. 21, 22, 23—9 a. m. to 11 p. m.  
Dec. 24, 25, 26, 27—closed.  
Dec. 28, 29, 30—9 a. m. to 11 p. m.  
Dec. 31—9 a. m. to 1 p. m.  
Jan. 1—closed.  
Jan. 2—1 p. m. to 11 p. m.  
Jan. 3—2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

### Lost

A blue, rough, camel hair overcoat in building J, Dec. 1. Double breasted, half belt in back. Bell clothes label. Pair of grey cadet gloves in inside pocket. Finder return to Harold Schneider, Pharmacy School, or to lost and found dept. Reward.

Alpha Eta Epsilon will hold an important meeting at the Hay Adams House at 8 p. m. tonight. Members and pledges should attend.

## Liberal Club Hears About Public Press

Speaker Tells Startling Facts Regarding the Newspaper

"Newspapers often suppress facts in order to make their news stories and editorials conform to the opinions of their readers," declared H. Bundy in his speech before the Liberal Club last Saturday evening.

Mr. Bundy showed how a newspaper must conform to the majority opinion of its readers in order to maintain its circulation and advertising.

"A vicious circle keeps the press very conservative," he said. "The press is influenced by public opinion which is in turn molded by the press."

Mr. Bundy said that such organizations as the American Legion, the D. A. R., and chambers of commerce are the most active in their attempts to color or suppress news. These organizations try to keep from the public any facts detrimental to themselves or to the principles for which they stand.

## Ragatz Appointed Chairman Of International Commission

Professor Lowell J. Ragatz of the History Department recently was singularly honored when he was appointed chairman of the International Commission for Colonial Study.

The Commission is made up of people who are interested in the expansion of overseas study covering problems of imperialism. It is an outgrowth of the International Colonial Exposition held in Paris last September. The Commission will develop a new and highly important field of historical research and history writing.

## Dr. Buchanan Addresses Delta Phi Epsilon Group

The G. W. chapter of Delta Phi Epsilon, national foreign service fraternity, had as guest speaker at its smoker Monday night, November 30, Dr. Daniel H. Buchanan, who this year joined the teaching staff of the Economics Department of George Washington University.

Speaking informally, Dr. Buchanan sketched for the chapter, Indian village life, the Hindu caste system, methods of agriculture, conditions in cities, and the textile industry as conducted by the Britishers and the enterprising Parsees. He also corrected many popular misconceptions as to Indian conditions noting that people of India are meticulously clean and that foreigners cannot hope to compete with or operate as efficiently as natives of India with their time-worn hand methods of agriculture.

Delta Phi Epsilon announces the pledging of Dr. Buchanan and the following students: Frances M. Killarney, Corwyn Lockwood, Otto Schoenfelder and Robert Savage. These students have indicated a definite desire to follow in some capacity a foreign service career.

## Students Register Church Preference

Religious Club Encouraged to Further Inter-denominationalism

Of a total of 6018 students in George Washington University, 4291 expressed a religious preference at the time of registration. Twenty-six different denominations are represented.

To further the spirit of inter-denominationalism which exists here, the University has encouraged the founding of various religious clubs. Of the eight churches leading in number of student followers, six have previously formed clubs in the University. These clubs are: Newman Club, Episcopal Club, Baptist Student Union, Lutheran Club, Menorah Society, and Presbyterian Club. The purpose of these organizations is to bring the church and the school into closer contact for the good of the student.

The student representatives of the Congregational Church met after Chapel on December 4 to formulate plans for organization of a club. Following the chapel service last Friday, Methodist students, under the direction of Prof. Elmer Louis Kayser, held a preliminary conference preparatory to the organization of a Methodist Club.

It is planned that these newly organized clubs shall each have an executive committee composed of a representative of each church of that particular denomination in Washington.

Thus a feeling of fellowship will be promoted between students and the University, and although religion is not a part of the curriculum the true religious principles of cooperation will be fostered.

Methodists Most Numerous  
Of the 4,291 students expressing a religious preference Methodists were most numerous, there being 797. Other prominent denominations were represented as follows:

Episcopal	663
Presbyterian	620
Catholic	593
Baptist	413
Jewish	362
Lutheran	234
Congregational	138
Christian	134
Mormon	103
Christian Scientist	70
Unitarian	56
Church of the Brethren	37
Reformed	25
Quaker	19

## Professor Griggs Explains Volcanos' Value Over Radio

Service of Volcanic Vapors in Producing Carbon Dioxide and Concentration of Metals Discussed

Professor Robert F. Griggs spoke over the radio Friday night on the subject, "Our Friend, the Volcano."

First Professor Griggs hastened to allay the fear and prejudice of volcanoes that exist in people's minds. He said the percentage of deaths from Vesuvius about equals that due to accidental falls. Then he discussed the value of volcanoes.

The construction of the radio which carries the voice depends on materials secured only through volcanic action—copper wires to carry the current, and tungsten filaments for the glowing tubes. Not only copper and tungsten, but practically the whole store of most of the metals have been brought within our reach by volcanic action. These include gold, silver, zinc, mercury, and lead, besides many more of lesser importance. Most of these metals are widely diffused in nature. All of them may be detected in minute quantities in rocks generally.

These diffused traces are so difficult to extract that they are of no value. The service if the volcanic vapors lies in bringing together and concentrating in one small vein all the metallic traces originally dispersed through a cubic mile or more of rock. All the ores which are mined from veins or fissure deposits were deposited by volcanic action. Valuable as the metals are, other components of the volcanic vapors are of far more importance.

There is a substance in the volcanic vapors without which life of any kind would be impossible, for it furnishes the raw material out of which all food is made—carbon dioxide. Sugar, starch, fat and protein—all foods are built up, directly or indirectly, from carbon dioxide. By and of itself carbon dioxide is no food, quite the reverse. Sometimes it is counted a poison.

If the supply of carbon dioxide should ever be used up there would be an immediate end of all food-making, and all life would soon die out. As there are only three parts of carbon dioxide in 10,000 of air, its exhaustion is by no means a remote contingency. It would have been all used up long ago if the supply were not being constantly replenished. There are several sources from which carbon dioxide is being poured back into the air. The best known, but the least important of these, is the respiration of animals.

The important supply is the volcano. A mild volcano liberates more carbon dioxide than the fires of a large city. From the interior of the earth by volcanoes that has kept the world of life. It is the carbon dioxide brought up going throughout the ages. With these statements Professor Griggs proved the truth of the title he had chosen.

What's Eaten at Rochester  
A questionnaire is being sent to students of the University of Rochester to determine when, where, and what they eat.

## Congregationalists Organizing Tonight

On Tuesday, December 15, at 8:00 p. m., George Washington students affiliated with Congregational churches will meet in Lambie House to organize a University Congregational Club.

Pastors of several Congregational churches in Washington have been invited to be present. Rev. George L. Farnham, president of the city Congregational Club, is cooperating with Provost Wilbur in organizing this club, in accordance with the University's plan of having the various denominations represented in the student body organized into active groups.

## Chinese College Club Leads Services at Baptist Church

The Chinese College Club conducted the evening services at the National Memorial Baptist Church Sunday, December 13. The entire service was presented by Chinese and included Chinese music and an inspirational address given by Mr. K. M. Tsee of Baltimore. The offering was in behalf of the flood sufferers in China.

The club is composed of Chinese students of G. W., American University and several other universities and colleges.

## Judson King Will Address Liberals on Muscle Shoals

Mr. Judson King, director of the National Popular Government League, will speak on "The Power Question—Hoover and Muscle Shoals" before the Liberal Club at 8:15 p. m., Wednesday, December 16, in Corcoran Hall 17. Mr. King will show why the Federal Government should take over Muscle Shoals and other power plants.

For the past ten years Mr. King has worked with Senator Norris for government ownership and operation of Muscle Shoals. He is confident that Congress will pass the bill for this disposition of the gigantic power project, but is afraid that it will not be repassed over the president's veto. After his speech, Mr. King will answer questions and discuss the subject informally.

## Modern Poetry Club Hears Work of American Poets

The poetry and prose of Lizette Reese were read at the last meeting of the Modern Poetry Club, December 9. Grace Dutton had charge of the meeting.

Lizette Reese, one of America's modern poets, has written some excellent verse.

December 16, the Modern Poetry Club will meet as usual in Corcoran Hall at 12:30 p. m. The reading and discussion will be conducted by Winifred Whitney.

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